

Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, DEC. 22, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Rises tomorrow at 7:17 and sets at 4:51.
 Tides at 7:44 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

Section snow or rain this afternoon,
 Wednesday; nearly stationary
 from north-easterly winds, in-

CHRISTMAS MUSIC.

Church choirs have ar-
 ranged the following: Sun-
 day school, the regular
 choir, and will be exception-
 ally fine.

S. MARY'S CHURCH

Solemn high mass at 5 p. m.; Kyrie,
 by Gounod; Gloria, by Gounod; Credo,
 by St. Ignace; Sanctus, by Gounod; Ben-
 edictus, by Gounod; Agnus Dei, by
 Stearns; Offertory, Adagio, Fiedler.
 Choir—Messrs. R. L. Wenzel, Leo
 P. Harlow, Martin Green, H. L. Wheat-
 ley, Frank Lightfoot, Frank R. Moore,
 Frank Nugent, Edward Harlow, James
 Patterson, Thomas H. Fegan, James
 Callan, William Toomey, George H.
 Harlow, George Ward, Edward Power
 and E. Forrest Birrell; P. F. Downey,
 director; J. M. Moore, organist.

CHRIST CHURCH

Processional hymn, 49, "O Come, All
 Ye Faithful"; Adagio, Fiedler; Venite,
 by Gounod; Gloria Patri, Mozart; Te
 Deum, G. A. Mielke; Jubilate, H. R.
 Shelley; Hymn-intro, 58, "O Little
 Town of Bethlehem," L. H. Redner;
 Gloria, T. J. F. Bridge; hymn, 540,
 "Once in Royal David's City," H. J.
 Gauntlett; offertory, "And There Were
 Shepherds," H. Millard; Ascension, S.
 B. Whitney; Sanctus, J. Steiner; hymn,
 225, "Bread of the World," J. S. B.
 Hodges; Gloria in Excelsis, Old Un-
 derham; alto, Mrs. M. W. O'Brien; tenor,
 Mr. Kenneth Ogden; bass, Mr. George
 H. Evans; organist, Mrs. O. G. Len-
 non; director, Mrs. M. W. O'Brien.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Processional hymn, No. 59, "It Came
 Upon the Midnight Clear," Dicks; Ve-
 nite in B flat, Roby; Gloria Patri,
 Roby; Te Deum in C, Back; Jubilate
 in E flat, Barrett; Introit anthem, hymn
 No. 54, "O Come to the Listening Ear of
 Night," Ashford; Gloria Tibi, Hodges;
 hymn No. 53, "Shout the Glad Tidings,"
 Brewer; offertory anthem, "There Were
 Shepherds," Wilkison; offertory ascrip-
 tion, Doxology; Sanctus in A flat,
 Stainer; hymn, No. 225, "Bread of the
 World," Hodges; Gloria in Excelsis,
 old chant; recessional hymn, No. 58,
 "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

Choir—Soprano, Mrs. De
 Dier, Mrs. Robson; alto, Mrs. Fowler;
 tenor, Mr. Witman; baritone, Mr. Wal-
 ler; bass, Mr. Wirt. Organist and di-
 rector, Mr. Fowler, assistant director,
 Mr. Field; librarian, Mr. Wheatley.
 Soprano, Misses Dorsey Ashton, Alice
 Anderson, Janie Billinger, Elizabeth
 Brown, Catharine Duffey, Courtney
 Greenough, Amy Healey, Madge Mc-
 Gray, Nellie Polman, Elizabeth Per-
 son, Nancy Tackett, Mary Young; Mes-
 dames Elizabeth De Dier, Rose M.
 Green, J. W. May, Kenneth Ogden,
 Arthur Dawson, Elizabeth Reason, E.
 F. Ticer, J. L. Wilcoxson; alto, Misses
 Jessie Armstrong, Rose Anderson, Hal-
 lie Makiely, Misses Sherman B.
 Fowler, Charles T. Lindsey, James
 Reid; tenor, Messrs. Julian Burke, John
 Chadwick, S. Frank Field, H. Herman
 Godfrey, Horace B. Ramey, Benjamin
 Wheatley, W. R. Witman; bass, Messrs.
 Marshall Doby, James L. Evans,
 Philip Healey, John Luckett, Dr.
 Charles T. Lindsey, Charles Tennessee,
 Wilmer Waller and Richard Wirt.

CASE CONTINUED.

There was but one case on the docket
 of the Police Court this morning, that
 of Walter Moore and Walter Sloper,
 who are charged with assaulting and
 beating R. F. Downham at the latter's
 store, northeast corner of King and
 Payne streets, last Friday afternoon.
 Mr. L. H. Machen appeared as counsel
 for the accused, and Mr. S. G. Brent
 represented the prosecution. Several
 witnesses for the defense being absent,
 on motion of Mr. Machen the case was
 continued until tomorrow afternoon at
 4:30 o'clock.

TURKEY'S ESCAPE.

Two live turkeys escaped from the
 Market House this morning, and caused
 their owner considerable trouble before
 they were captured. One of the birds
 ran into a nearby store and was soon
 seized. The other, however, took a
 high perch on a telegraph pole and sur-
 veyed with complacency the efforts of
 its would-be captors to reach it. The
 turkey finally descended when it was
 run down and returned to the coop from
 which it had escaped.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CELEBRATIONS

The several Sunday schools of the city
 have made arrangements for their Christ-
 mas celebrations, which will be held
 as follows: Trinity M. E. Church
 Wednesday night at 7:30; Christ Church,
 Thursday evening at 4:30 o'clock; St.
 Paul's, Thursday, 4:30 p. m.; Emman-
 uel Lutheran, Christmas night at 7:30;
 Baptist, Christmas night at 7:30; St.
 Mary's, December 27 at 2:30 p. m.; Se-
 cond Presbyterian, December 29 at 7:30
 p. m.; M. P. Church, December 29 at
 7:30 p. m.; M. E. Church South, De-
 cember 29 at 7:30 p. m.; Bethany M. P.
 Church, December 30 at 7:30 p. m.;
 Second Presbyterian Chapel, December
 31 at 7:30 p. m. The order Sunday
 schools have not yet announced the date
 of their celebrations. The Chapel of the
 Good Shepherd held their celebration
 this evening as did the children of St.
 Mary's Academy.

BROKE HIS LEG.

Mr. George Hall was the victim of a
 serious accident yesterday afternoon.
 He was in charge of a wagon loaded
 with hay when the vehicle was over-
 turned and fell upon Mr. Hall, breaking
 one of his legs. He was conveyed to
 his home, where he received surgical at-
 tention.

Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills.
 They are antiseptic and soothe pain quickly.
 Insist upon "DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder
 Pills." Regular size 50c. Sold by W. E.
 Creighton & Co.

The Hess Hopkins FOOT FORM
 SHOES makes life a pleasure. Sold
 only by J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King
 street.

ELKS' SOCIAL SESSION.

There is no uncerain sound to any
 undertaking by Alexandria Lodge of
 Elks, as a demonstration at the social
 session held at their home last night.
 About 200 members were present when
 the exalted ruler, Judge L. C. Barley,
 took his position and rapped for order.
 After the routine business was over the
 doors were thrown open to those invited
 outside of elksdom and eye never wit-
 nessed, ear never heard, nor appetite
 ever fastened on a better conceived pro-
 gramme. Judge Barley was at his best
 in his introductory remarks and inci-
 dentally referred to the growth of the
 order. He was followed by Mr. Forrest
 Birrell in one of his pleasing songs. The
 other features of the charming entertain-
 ment were: Speech, "Our Order,"
 Congressman C. O. Carlin; recitation,
 Geo. Thomas Cato. Then followed a
 visit from "Dyke Lodge of Elks, St.
 Paul, Minnesota, exhausted rooster," with 20
 members and band. A song by Mr.
 Geo. H. Evans was then heartily en-
 joyed. Judge Barley at this point pre-
 sented a cut glass bowl to Mr. J. H.
 Bales, the chairman of the session, but,
 unfortunately, the judge dropped the
 bowl and it was broken in pieces. Then
 followed a recitation by "Bob" Taylor's re-
 citation, "A Convict's Christmas Made
 Famous," which was reproduced in a
 splendid manner by Mr. R. S. Barrett;
 a toast, "Eleven o'clock," was spoken to
 by Mr. Jacob Brill in his usual happy
 manner; a recitation by Mr. Harry
 Fieschman was heartily received as
 was one by Mr. J. Fred Birrell; then
 followed a recitation entitled, "A Fish-
 ing Nigger," by Mr. F. M. Hamilton.
 At this point the "Hook 'em up" dance
 occurred. Too much
 praise can not be
 showered on the
 committee for the hand-
 some entertain-
 ment. It consisted of Messrs. Jas.
 W. Bales, chairman; H. Fieschman,
 E. D. Martin and F. O. Spinks. The
 music was excellent and was furnished
 by Messrs. J. Beece Cato, Raymond
 Rogers, Harry Hayden and W. D. An-
 derson. One of the features of the en-
 tertainment was a rivalry between two
 members of Dyke Lodge for the mayor-
 ship of the city. It was very spirited
 but the final vote was postponed. The
 costumes worn by Messrs. Chas. B.
 Marshall, Harry Fieschman, J. Fred
 Birrell, R. M. Latham, J. E. Shinn, E.
 M. Anderson, Cecil Huffy, Jacob Brill,
 James Marshall, H. Friedlander and G.
 T. Cato were the finest seen in this city
 for a long time. The splendid collation
 was spread under the direction of that
 prince of caterers, Mr. F. O. Spinks,
 ably assisted by Mr. Fred Schwab.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Opera House was filled last night
 and everybody seemed to hugely enjoy
 themselves. Well, why shouldn't they.
 It was a good show; in fact, one of the
 best seen at this house. The vaudeville
 portion was exceedingly interesting as
 were also the pictures. Tonight Mr.
 W. H. Ward, a world-renowned elocu-
 tionalist, will recite a story pathetic in the
 extreme.
 At the Alexandria Amusement Com-
 pany has a rare treat in store for those
 who attend. There will be three inter-
 esting talking pictures: "He Goes to
 Church on Sunday," "The Honey Bee's
 Honeycomb" and "In My Oldsmobile."
 There will also be three reels of silent
 pictures which will be real enjoyable.
 At the Elite the usual big show will
 occur when over 3,000 feet of film will
 be used. The subjects are good and
 consist of "I Won a Pig," "The Vestal
 Virgin," "How the Pair Battled In"
 and "Penalty of His Crime."

LEFT COLLATERAL.

Nicholas Trivolis, keeper of a lunch
 room on King street, complained to the
 police today that a man named Wey-
 mouth, of Asheville, N. C., had named
 his place, eaten a meal and drank a
 bottle of beer, costing sixty cents, with-
 out paying for the same. According to
 the statement of Trivolis, he procured
 the beer for his customer from a nearby
 public house. This procedure is for-
 bidden by the Byrd law, and Trivolis
 was required to leave \$50 collateral for
 his appearance before the Police Court
 tomorrow. Weymouth was also held.
 The latter when he reached the station
 house turned over 35 cents to Trivolis
 that being all the money he had, and
 offered to leave his overcoat as a collateral.

CHARTERS.

The Corporation Commission has
 granted the following charters: W. A.
 Smoot & Co., incorporated, Alexandria,
 J. C. Smoot, president; W. A. Smoot,
 jr., vice president and treasurer; S. W.
 Pitts, secretary—all of Alexandria.
 Capital—Maximum \$100,000, mini-
 mum \$100,000. Object—Coal and lum-
 ber business. This is one of the old
 and well established houses of the city,
 whose business is so extending that it
 was thought best by the former members
 of the firm to make of it a corporation.
 The Parkwood Apartment House
 Company, incorporated, Alexandria, S.
 W. Woodward, president; E. S. Barker,
 treasurer; B. W. Parker, secretary—all
 of Washington. Capital—Maximum,
 \$100,000; minimum, \$25,000. Object—
 Build an apartment house.

THE BANKS.

The business of the city banks this
 year it is understood has increased over
 that of any previous year of their his-
 tory, which is very gratifying to the di-
 rectors and officers as well as to the com-
 munity at large, as it shows a steady
 growth of the city. The Citizens' Na-
 tional Bank has just declared a regular
 semi annual dividend of 4 per cent in
 addition to which this bank has directed
 a special dividend of one per cent.

Kodak for Dyspepsia, indigestion, weak
 stomach, sour stomach, gas on the stomach,
 etc., is guaranteed to give prompt relief from
 any form of stomach trouble. It will cure
 your dyspepsia. Sold by W. E. Creighton
 & Co.

The Red Cross Shoe for tender feet.
 The ladies who wear the Red Cross
 Shoe always wear a smile. Sold only
 by J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King
 street.

Tangiers! The best on
 the market
 Roasted and on the half shell
 Merchants' quick lunch—Turkey
 with Cranberry Sauce—Turkey
 At the Elkon

Coke Domestic Coke
 All kinds of Coal, Wood and Coke. Best
 quality and prompt delivery at bottom prices.
 Phone 30. D. W. AITCHESON, 107 south
 Royal street.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Henry Green has returned from
 a visit to friends in Camden county, N. J.
 Mr. and Mrs. B. Well left for a visit
 to New York to attend the twenty-fifth
 anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and
 Mrs. H. Weinstein.
 Mr. Titus F. Ellis add wife, of the
 Mount Vernon district, left today to
 spend the Christmas holidays at the
 home of Mrs. Ellis's parents, in S.
 Louis.

On Saturday Congressman Bourke
 Cockran, of New York, served a hand-
 some dinner to several ladies and gentle-
 men connected with the embassies in
 Washington at the Mt. Vernon. The
 arrangements were in the hands of Mr.
 Titus F. Ellis.

Mrs. C. B. Howard has returned to
 Fredericksburg, from a visit to her father,
 Mr. S. French, in this city.

Mr. B. Willet and Miss Annie Sison
 were married last night at the home of
 the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. Matthew
 Hicks, on south Fairfax street. The
 ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. S.
 A. Wallis.

NEW STREETS.

The committee appointed by the
 Fairfax supervisors, for the purpose of
 viewing the proposed streets in the vic-
 inity of George Washington Park, will
 meet at West End at Wednesday at 1
 p. m. to view said proposed streets and
 to consider and report thereon. Mr.
 George Auld is chairman of the board of
 supervisors, and also of the committee.
 The presidents of the two boards of the
 City Council, the mayor, the auditor,
 the committee on streets and others in-
 terested are expected to be present. An
 effort will be made to open new streets
 in the park vicinity at once.

CHRISTMAS.

Snow, regarded by many as a neces-
 sary adjunct to the Christmas season,
 began to fall about 9 o'clock this morn-
 ing.

Many Christmas trees were stacked
 in the market court this morning, while
 countrymen had others in wagons
 moving through different sections of
 the city seeking purchasers.

The market will be kept open all day
 Thursday and until 9 o'clock Christmas
 morning.

SNOW.

Snow began to fall about nine o'clock
 this morning, and continued throughout
 the day. By 3 o'clock it had attained a
 depth of two inches.

For Eczema, Tetter and Salt Rheum
 The intense itching characteristic of
 these ailments is almost instantly allayed
 by Chamberlain's Salve. Many severe
 cases have been cured by it. For sale
 by W. F. Creighton & Co., and Richard
 Gibson.

Buy your boy a pair of Storm King
 Boots—the high top fellows—that's
 what the boys want—from John A.
 Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Young Men's Senate will meet to-
 night.

Mr. James Goods was so unfortunate
 today as to lose his gold watch.
 A baby shoe found on the street by a
 police officer, can be had by applying at
 the station house.

Orville Wright, aeroplaneist, now fully
 recovered from his fall at Fort Myer, is
 ready to start for Paris.
 Mr. M. E. Harlow has sold to Mrs.
 Fannie L. Johnson a house and lot on
 the west side of Royal street, between
 Princess and Oranook.

Two cows which were found straying
 through the streets last night were
 driven to the pen in Market alley to
 await the appearance of their owner.

The advertisement announcing that
 Mr. Geo. H. Evans, the well known
 vocalist of this city, would sing at the
 Opera House a night or two ago was not
 true. It should have read Mr. Leonard
 Evans.

A window curtain in the house at the
 southwest corner of Gibson and Lee
 streets caught on fire this morning and
 occasioned some excitement in the
 neighborhood. The flames were extin-
 guished before any material damage re-
 sulted.

The alarm of fire about one o'clock
 this afternoon was caused by the partial
 burning of the old Southern Railway
 telegraph office, a short distance west
 of the National Cemetery. The building
 has been more recently used for the
 yardmaster's office. The fire depart-
 ment responded, but the roof was badly
 damaged before the flames were subdued.

Now is the time to order Christmas wreaths.
 Christmas bells in all sizes, palms (special)
 99 cents; potted Narcissus, ferns, and cut
 flowers for the holidays. The Mrs. F. J.
 Kramer, Floral Company.
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This world of ours is filled up with the
 relics of bygone days. Well may we ask for
 the flowers that bloom in the spring or the
 birds that warble at break of day; also, they
 are all gone. Where are the girls of a yester-
 day or the snows of a yesterday. Gone.
 Likewise where are those "Auth Sauces"
 you had for breakfast this morning. Gone
 too, but not forgotten. They always taste
 like more. Sylvan Blondheim, The Auth
 Stand, City Market.

The first minute after a fire starts is the
 most critical time, and the "Columbia" Ex-
 tinguisher being always ready for use, make
 you master of the situation. E. S. LEAD-
 BEATER & SONS.

Suitable Christmas Gift for your Hus-
 band, Sweetheart or Brother a pair of
 those fine slippers at John A. Marshall
 & Bro., 422 King street.

Lynnhaven on half shell. Chaf-
 ing dishes. Broiled
 on toast, and BRILL'S Celebrated Single
 Fried at the OPERA HOUSE CAFE.
 SELECT CHERRYSTONE CLAMS

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AT
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FOR XMAS.

Beautiful Solitaire Diamond Rings
 \$20 and \$25.
 Exquisite Cameo and Diamond
 Brooches.
 \$15 to \$25.

Gold Brooches in many dainty
 designs.
 \$2.50 to \$10.

Girls' Silver Watches, the kind
 we guarantee.
 \$5.00.

Men's extra fine Umbrellas.
 \$5.00.

Ladies' fine Umbrellas, silver
 handles.
 \$8.50 to \$20.

Gold Bracelets.
 \$6.00 to \$35.

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 87 ST. B. P. AVE.
 "THE BUSY CORNER"
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\$10.00 Black French LYNX SETS
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Quality Established Our Reputation.

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 Hannsville, Straight, 1900 Cascade, 1903
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Best Sweet Catawba Wines \$1 Per Gallon.

Stuffed Walnuts
 Salted Pecans
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 Shelled Almonds
 Shelled Pecans
 Florida Oranges
 Maraschino Cherries
 Fancy Layer Figs
 Conserved Pineapple
 Conserved Cherries
 Conserved Assorted Fruits
 Preserved Figs in glass
 Canton Ginger
 Malaga Raisins, fine clusters

New York Sweet Cider, per gallon 25c
 Best mixed Nuts 12½ cents per pound
 Best Creamery Butter, 35c per pound

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OHINA, GLASS AND HOUSEFURN-
ISHING GOODS.

Open Evenings Until Xmas.

These Coupons
 Will Save you
 Money.

Coupon.
 This coupon and \$1.00 entitles the holder to a Fancy Decorated Water Set consisting of one pitcher and six glasses and metal tray worth double.

Coupon.
 This coupon and 75c. entitles the holder to a seven piece Glass Berry Set worth double.

Coupon.
 This coupon and \$4.00 entitles the holder to a set of Rogers "1841" Knives and Forks worth \$5.00.

Coupon.
 This coupon and 50c. entitles holder to a Boys' Tool Chest worth \$1.00.

Coupon.
 This coupon and \$5.00 entitles the holder to a Fancy Parlor Lamp worth \$7.50.

Coupon.
 This coupon and \$45.00 entitles the holder to a prize Haviland Dinner Set of 112 pieces worth \$60.00.

ELLIOTT'S,
 Cor. Pitt and King Sts.

Opera House
 TONIGHT.
 W. H. Ward

Singing, dancing German Comedian, intro-
 ducing his comedy song hit, "Don't You
 Want to Buy a Dog." He is a world renowned
 elocutionist and will recite a pathetic story.

Edward Lemuels
 Prince of the Silver Cord, introducing phenom-
 enal features in a cirk wire walking.

Lead Albott
 Singing and dancing soubrette. Hear her
 sing her latest song hits.

The Opera House Stock Co
 Headed by Jno. Hanson, presenting a
 whirlwind of laughter entitled "The Jew
 Justice."
 3,000 feet of Motion Pictures.
 Drama, Comedy and a Tear-drop now and
 then.

Alexandria Amusement Co.
 TALKING PICTURES
 The Honey Bees Honey Moon.
 He Goes to Church on Sunday.
 In My Oldsmobile.

SILENT PICTURES.
 The Light House Keeper's Daughter.
 Clog Making.
 The Music Teacher.

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK,
 Alexandria, Va.
 Alexandria, Va., Dec. 17, 1908.—At a meet-
 ing of the Board of Directors of the Citizens'
 National Bank, of Alexandria, Va., held this
 day, the regular semi-annual dividend of 4
 per cent was declared, payable on and after
 January 2nd, 1909, to stockholders of record,
 December 31st, 1908, and also an extra divi-
 dend of 1 per cent, payable as of the same
 date.

RICHARD M. GREEN, Cashier.
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JOSEPH MOORE,
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Large Tinted Malaga GRAPES

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Fancy Dark CAPE COD Cranberries

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